THE LEGISLATURE

Governor Leslie Signs the Bill Which Prohibits Sure Thing Games in Montana.

The Bounty Bill Also Becomes a Law and Various Beneficent Measures Are Considered.

Helena of a pest, was presented by his colleagues with a handsome bound volume of miscellaneous reading. Both houses adjourned to Saturday in order to properly celebrate Washington's birthday.

THE COUNCIL.

Council met at 10 a. m. with all the membusiness Kennedy presented a remon- not referred. strance from seventy one citizens of Boulhouse bill No 30, the high license act. Placed on file.

Thompson, of Deer Lodge, arose to a question of privilege, relative to the newspaper report of the visit of the Dakota egislature to the city of Helena. Brown wanted to know if this council had nothing else to do besides paying attention to newspaper reports. If the Dakots legislature propose to come they should officially notify this body.

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On motion of Thompson, of Deer Lodge, a select committee to three to act with a like committee to be appointed by the house, to extend the courtesies of the legislature to the honorable visitors, was appointed. Thompson, of Deer Lodge, Hatch and Middleton are the committee.

Thompson, of Deer Lodge, from the engrossing committee, reported council bill No. 20 and 35 properly engrossed. The same gentleman, from the elections committee, reported back council bill No. 8, providing for the printing and distribution of ballots at public expense, without recommendation. Placed on general orders.

House bill No. 20, relating to bottles and siphons, with a recommendation. Placed on general orders.

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Moore, Saxton and Davis were appointed a committee to confer with the council to determine upon some course of action and decide whether the Great Falls trip be made or not.

The special committee t mining, reported back council bill No. 38, and from the committee on incorporations council bill No. 37, with the recommendation that they do pass. Report accepted and the bills passed to general orders.

Conrad gave notice of a bill to detach certain territory from Park county and annex the same to Yellowstone county.

Collins introduced council bill No. 42. It Collins introduced council bill No. 42. It provides for the fees and compensation of certain county officers. It was read the first time, by title the second time and ordered printed. It provides for county officers' salaries as follows: Clerks of district courts, \$1,000; clerks and recorders, \$1,000; deputy clerks, \$600; sheriff, \$1,500; county attorney, \$1,000; county superintendent of schools, \$1 for each school census scholar in his county, but not more than \$1,000; also, \$10 per district for traveling expenses, not to exceed \$200 per year; county treasurers, \$1,500; assessors, \$1,000, and one and one-fourth per cent. of one mill of the assessed valuation. No change from the present law in the public administrators' fees. Besides these salaries the fees of the several officers will remain in force.

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Middleton, without previous notice, was granted leave to introduce council bill No. 43, to amend section 229 of the probate practice law. Read first and second time and ordered printed.

Council bill No. 29, regulating the publishing, printing and purchase of blank books and stationery in the territory of Montana was placed on its final passage and passed.

House bill No. 41, introduced by Josiyn to prohibit lotteries, was read twice and ordered to be printed.

A similar bill was also introduced by Swiggett. He stated that he endorsed Josiyn's bill and asked leave to withdraw his

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When section 4 was reached, the clause in parenthesis "partiularly certified copies of this act," Kennedy offered to change it to "printed" copies. Thompson, of Deer Lodge seconded it. Cole objected. Middleton favored the amendment. Thompson, of Deer Lodge, figured the expense of getting certified copies. Cole was surprised that such an economic strain had struck the gentleman. He thought the expense on such an important measure should not be considered. It was of more importance than the \$2.000 appropriated for the supreme court reports. Middleton gave his reasons for the unnecessary work. Bickford and Thompson, of Silver Bow, also spoke in favor of Kennedy's amendment. Cole then arose and stated that his party wanted every safeguard placed around the bill that would insure the purity of the ballot. He proposed to see that every man should go on record on this matter.

Middleton objected to such argument and he objected to be gentleman from Lewis and Clarke making this matter a political issue. The gentleman fid not more heartly favor an ironclad registration law than he. He was in favor of their bill, but did not propose to be gagged in considering it. He did not fear being put on record, and if his conscience led him to believe a matter was wrong or right he would vote according to its dictates, no matter what the result. The party he represented desired a registration law, and if

the was nothing more.

Cole disclaimed any illusion to politics in any particular. However, he would further say that he honestly believed no democrat would agree to any such measure if he did not realize that it was inevitable, and said the party has fallen into line for no other reason.

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Cole offered an amendment to provide that the chairman of the board of county commissioners furnish the certified copies of the bill when required.

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that no person other than the secretary of the territory could issue such certified doc-

graphing the memorial to congress. Amount, \$58.15. Referred to general or-

A communication from the house gave notice that Congdon had given notice that he would introduce a bill relating to limitation of actions; by the judiciary committee, "a bill relative to the assignments of estates of debtors for creditors."

House bill No. 84, relative to maintenance and alimony in divorce cases. Was read a

Kennedy also opposed the bill, which brought out a discussion by Bickford and Middleton in its favor. The bill was placed on its final passage and adopted by 7 ayes

The first committee heard from after the roll call and prayer was the printing com mittee, which announced that the following had been correctly printed: House bill bers present. After the usual routine of No. 18, Moore's registration bill, which was

House bill No. 35, relating to printing der and vicinity against the passage of and posting of city ordinances. Referred to the incorporation committee. House bill No. 37, concerning the ap pointment of stenographers of district courts and fixing their compensation. Re-ferred to the elections and territorial com-

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made or not.

The special committee to which was referred house joint resolution No. 6, providing for an official map of Mouta, reported that sufficient improvement had not been found in the proposed map compared with the present one to warrant its adoption. The resolution and report were placed on

general orders. 19, relating to attachments, recommended that it be indefinitely postponed, Placed

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Jones, chairman, of the committee of the reported house bill No. 16, to establish the office of inspector of mines, with a recommendation that as amended it pass. The report was received, the amendment adopted and the bill ordered engrossed.

The following notices were given:

By Congdon—To amend sections 41 and 44, chapter 3 of the compiled statutes, relating to limitations of actions.

By Hunt—A bill relating to assignments of estates of debtors or creditors.

The ways and means committee was allowed to introduce without previous notice

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Ordered printed.

Congdon introduced house bill No. 46, to prevent the dissimination of scab and other infectious diseases. Ordered printed.

Joslyn, who has a chronic desire to move an adjournment "until 11 o'clock to-morrow," took the gavei as chairman of the committee of the whole. He wanted to go to Great Fails, and was in a hurry. The sections of the substitute to house bill No. 13, concerning the dower rights of insane women, recommended to pass, were rattled

on record, and if his conscience led him to believe a matter was wrong or right he would vote according to its dictates, no matter what the result. The party he represented desired a registration law, and if the present bill had not been brought out he would have introduced one. He could not imagine what prompted the gentleman to make this matter a political quibble, for it was nothing more. eceived and referred: House bill No. 14, dower rights of insane

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House bill No. 31, relative to signs over gambling houses as amended to pass, received and adopted.

Joslyn again took the chairmanship of the committee of the whole. House bill No. 27, relative to county treasurers, was taken up and amended.

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many voted aye. The chair said the speaker would step forward.

A communication was received from the governor announcing that he had approved and signed house bill No. 8, providing for the payment of bounties.

Gillette moved for a reconsideration of the vote by which council, bill No. 7 relations.

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House bill No. 25, prohibiting minors from frequenting saloons and gambling houses, was read. A motion by Thompson to lay it on the table was lost.

Kennedy also opposed the bill, which brought out a discussion by Bickford and the return of the special committee. A recess for ten minutes was taken.

While the members were awaiting the return of the special committee, Speaker appointed by taken to-day or not.

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Moore's Registration Bill Comes Up for Consideration by the Council and Sections Are Passed On.

To make amends for time wasted during the early days of the session the legislator country protection of a sum not to exceed \$2.090 for prisation of a sum not to exceed \$2.090 for prisation of a sum not be early days of the session the legislator business. Yesterday both houses were the business. Yesterday both houses were busy. In the council Conrad introduced a bill relating to the consideration of Montana. Misdleton offered to amend forers. The bill providing for uniformity of text books in public fees of country offers. The bill providing for uniformity for text books in public schools passed, and Moore's registration bill was considered by inserting the members of the house and Moore's registration bill was considered by inserting the members of the house appreciating the committee of the whole, but was not for passage, as was the bill relating to the committee of the whole, but was not finished. In the house a bill to prohibit lotteries was introduced, the bill relating to the committee of the whole, but was not finished. In the house a bill to elating to the committee of the whole, but was not feer and registered before. Cole and Thompson opposed the amend of the prohibit lotteries was introduced, the bill relating to the committee of the whole, but was not finished. In the house a bill to prohibit lotteries was introduced, the bill relating to dower rights of insane was recommended for passage, as was the bill relating to the committee of the whole, but was not finished. In the house a bill to prohibit lotteries was introduced, the bill relating to the committee of the whole, but was not finished. In the house a bill to prohibit lotteries was introduced, the bill relating to the committee of the whole, but was send that it was proposed the amend the proposed that the proposed the proposed that the proposed the proposed the proposed that the proposed the proposed that the proposed the proposed that the propos the formation of juries. The bill relating to county treasurers was passed to go into effect March 4, 1890.

Members of both the council and the house were pleased when the governor returned the gambling and the bounty bills signed. The act to prohibit sure-thing games goes into effect next Monday. Mr. Hunt, the author of the bill which rids Helena of a pest, was presented by his colleagues with a handsome bound volume of miscellaneous reading. Both how do not secured the purchase of a gift which I have been asked to present. There was some question about securing an article which in their judgment would most fittingly represent their sentiments, and at the same time most fittingly and properly reward the gentleman for his labors. They have finally selected this volume, "Choice Miscellaneous reading. Both how do Act at the Table; The Ties of Consanguinity (especially relating to the aunty); The Woes of Life; A Tale of the Widow). The Woes of Life; A Tale of the Widow). The Woes of Life; A Tale of the Widow) ander arrest for forgase and courage in men, and told a story the gentleman for his labors. They have finally selected this volume, "Choice Miscellaneous reading. Both which I have been asked to present. There was some question about securing an article which in their judgment would most fittingly and properly reward the gentleman for his labors. They have finally selected this volume, "Choice Miscellaneous reading. Both which I have been asked to present. There was some question about securing an article which in their judgment would most fittingly represent their sentiments, and at the same time most fittingly and properly reward the gentleman for his labors. They have the purchase the purchase of a gift which I have been asked to present the purchase of a gift which I h

Solution and decided not to go to Great

Falls to-day, and had so informed the Mona.

Moore read the following telegram:
CAPITOL, BISMARCK, Feb. 21.—Clinton
H. Moore, Helena: Excursion will leave
here to-morrow noon; if on time will arrive
at Helena Saturday, 4 p. m. (Signed)

D. F. ROYER.

The house amendments to council bill
No. 20, relative to formation of juries, having been correctly engrossed, the bill was
put on the calendar for a third reading.
On motion of Murray the house went into committee of the whole to further consider house bill No. 26 with Roberts as
chairman. Several sections were adopted when Saxton moved that the committee arise. Faintly on the still air floated a few was no doubt in the chairman's mind that the motion was lost, for the nays had Whitney's fog horn "no" in their ranks. Moore, who sits immediately in front of Whitney declares a pound of hair has been blown off the back of his head since the Vellowstone member.

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The dude found his way to the nearest saloon, and after he had taken a bracer, challenged the bystanders to a quiet game of draw, displaying his roll to show that he meant business. A deputy sheriff who was among the party accepted the challenged the bystanders to a quiet game of draw, displaying his roll to show that he meant business. A deputy sheriff who was among the party accepted the challenged the bystanders to a quiet game of draw, displaying his roll to show that he meant business.

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Joslyn wanted the house to adjourn until 10 o clock to morrow morning.
Murray moved to adjourn.
A motion made by Hunt prevailed that the house adjourn until 10 o'clock to-morrow morning.

Stock in the Park mine is being rapidly taken up. Over ten thousand shares were sold yesterday in a very short time at Jackson's music store.

112 cords wood for \$9.00 at Don Dav-REPORTORIAL NOTES

The Crescent clnb gave another of its enoyable dances at Assembly hall last night. There will be no meeting of the legisla-ture to-day and no business transacted in any of the public offices, It was Linden's orchestra instead of

Rossner's that played at the K. of P. entertainment at Marysville Feb. 19.

The excursion tendered the legislature to Great Falls by Col. Broadwater over the Montana Central has been postponed. A well executed group of the last terri-torial legislature has been completed and will find a place in the capitol building. Council and house have appointed committees to receive the Dakota legislators who will arrive in Helena to-morrow after-

On the occasion of the funeral of the late N. D. Root, at Brainerd, rll business in the city was suspended and the houses draped

in mourning. Notice of the assignment of H. F. Clark,

A snow storm set in yesterday and continued to about midnight last night. The snow was fine and covered the ground to but a slight depth. It was local, covering but a small portion of the territory. The thermometer sank to 10 degrees below zero.

PERSONAL

Geo. Blinn, of Butte, is in the city. Major W. W. Alderson is over from Boze-Geo. W. Dickinson is again in the city

T. B. Mallory and J. B. Kirby, Anaconda, D. T. J. Murray, physician of the Union Pacific at Butte, is in the city.

taken up and amended.

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Cole then moved to lay Kennedy's amendment on the table, which also was lost, Cole and Brown voting together. Rennedy's amendment was then adopted, Cole and Brown being the only opposers. The section was adopted as amended. The committee arose and reported progress.
Hatch, of the committee of the whole, reported having house bill No. 18 under consideration and asked for further time. Granted.

Becess until 2 p. m.
Council resumed at 2:59 p. m. After the roll call Hatch, of the committee on roads and highways, reported back council bill No. 35 and recommended that it be passed as mended. The report was received and the bill referred to general orders.

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General Superintendent S. A. Ainslie, the form make it take effect March 4, 1890.

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Josiyn offered for the further consideration of the committee house bill No. 25 relative to municipal corporations. It is a long bill. The chairman looked at th

DUDE COWBOY.

He Raises Money on Worthless Checks and Is Raised and Arrested By an Officer.

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"I assure the gentleman from Lewis and Clarke and Jefferson it does me good; in makes me feel very happy to perform this delightful task of presenting the gift. There seems to be some difficulty in opening the volume."

"A member suggested that there was a a combination lock to it. Mantle—Seems to be a "sure thing."

Here he pulled the volume open and a stack of handsome poker checks dropped to dut and rolled over the speaker's desk and on the floor amid hearty laughter and louded clapping of hands.

Hunt, who was leaning on the back of a chair drinking in Mantle's eloquence, after the hilarity had subsided, expressed hims of the special committee, reported that the council had decided not to go to Great the house then came to order, and Davis of the special committee, reported that the council had decided not to go to Great the hilarity had subsided, expressed hims self as very much pleased and very much obliged to the members, closing by saying he would keep it always as a memento.

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ceived but one check for the amount. He went to the telegraph office and wired the bank at Billings about the transaction and received a reply to the effect that the checks were worthless and the man a forger; that he had played the same game there. The clerk discatched a messenger checks were worthless and the man a forger; that he had played the same game there. The clerk dispatched a messenger with the dispatch in search of the deputy whom he knew was in town and he was found in the saloon shuffling the cards.

"The telegram was handed the deputy, who replied 'all right,' as he dealt his opponent a hand. The stranger was playing in bad luck, and within a short time after the entrance of the messenger was reduced to his last chip, which the obliging deputy won. The feliow then offered to put up his revolver for \$20 and the offer was accepted. It was won on three trays. As the cowboy handed it over to the deputy he didn't notice the peculiar smile around the officer's mouth or he would have hesitated. No sooner was the weapon safely clutched in the official's grasp than the order came to throw up hands, which was promptly obeyed. Producing a pair of handcuffs the man was manacled and he was taken to Billings on the next train, where it was ascertained he was no cowboy at all, but a dude who had purchased his gorgeous outfit from a strolling theatrical company. Now, I think that deputy not only displayed nerve and judgment, but gentlemanliness in not arresting the forger until he had won his money."

"But what became of the money?" was asked.

"Sheriff fees must be paid in advance," was the reply.

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WEST GRANITE FALL.

The Stock Dropped to 35 Cents Yesterday and May Go Lower. "I wish I had!" exclaimed Sam Schwab

is sections of the substitute to house bill No. 13, concerning the dower rights of insane women, recommended to pass, were rattled of at a lively pace, the only stops made being for the purpose of announcing that if there were no objections the section would be adopted as read. None being offered each section was hammered home with a vigorous blow of the gavel. No amendments were made and the bill was recommended to pass.

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Speaker Mantle again ascended the dais and had the clerk read an invitation from the New England society to be present at the respicion to be held this evening, commencing at 9 o'clock, in the Parchen block, corner of Main and Broadway. The clerk was instructed to tender the thanks of the wose. Josiyn thought the society should be informed of the number who would attend so that preparations might be made to feed them. He looked hungary when he is an excellent one and the parents and they made to feed them. He looked hungary when he is closed in years and had the parents and friends of the purplis fortunate to be preparations might be made to feed them. He looked hungary when he is an excellent one and the parents and they made to feed them. He looked hungary when he is an escendant of the made to look the head of the hungary when he is an escendant to find the parents and the looked hungary when he is an escendant to the purple section was filed with the clerk and recorder yes, terday morning at the Cosmopolitan he tel when he read in the Index of the Index of the hady in the Chinaman who threw hot grease in Gloster is sufficient fleders and the Cosmopolitan he tel when he read in the Louis to Schot the report from St. Louis that he had unloaded all his West Granite atom condition.

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Only fifty thousand shares of Park mining treasury stock to be sold, per order of the trustees.

PERSONAL. raised, and that the report was sent out to the contrary just to cause such a panic. A gentleman gave it as his opinion last night that if such was true, that when the stock dropped to 10 cents, which low figure he thought it would reach, why it would all be bought up again by the insiders. No official information has reached here stating whether the money has been raised or not. It was rumored last night in the event of an attachment being levied on the mine, when it came to a sheriff's sale the Granite Mountain company would be found in the field as bidders, and that they would get the mine. There does not appear to be any talk relative to the worth of the West Granite. It is conceded to be be a good property. To a reporter one of the stockholders said: "If that \$100,000 was known to have been raised, \$55,000 of which would be devoted to buying machinery and further the content of the stockholders and the stockholders are stockholders.

to have been raised, \$55.000 of which would be devoted to buying machinery and further developments, I tell you no one could touch that stock with a forty-foot pole, it would jump up so quickly."

Another report in circulation is that the Helena holders of stock, who are in the majority, will, if the St. Louis people refuse to come to the front, put up the money required, and bond the mine, thus freezing the stockholders out.

Sewer Pipe and Sewer Work. Parties wanting house connections made to main sewer, and plumbing work of any

description, should have same done by ex-

ANOTHER BOILER EXPLOSION.

tion bill ?"asked a Butteite who arrived last

West Sider Points Out the Necessity of an Inspection Bill. "What has become of the botler inspec-

evening. "There is the first bill which had been introduced in the present legislature, and in my opinion the most important, and now, as I understand, it has been laid away in the hands of the committee on territorial affairs these last two weeks. My attenaffairs these last two weeks. My attention was reverted to this matter when of FIFTEEN CENTS per line per in-Heft Butte, where another boiler explo- sertion. sion had occurred at 1:30 p. m., almost in

diate action on the measure now before it. No competent engineer would allow this amount of steam to accumulate in a boiler which never carries over eighty or ninety pounds. Put only competent men, who have undergone an examination and hold a certificate, in charge of steam boilers. This can only be done by separating engineers from those who pretend to be engineers. A law that compelled all in charge of steam boilers under pressure to be examined and licensed, as lawyers and doctors are, before they can practice as operating steam engineers, would soon effect the separation. Then laws putting the responsibility for all boiler explosions, upon the man in charge; give him ample power to order repairs, determine the pressure to be carried, and entire control of all the adjuncts that secure safety, would rapamount of steam to accumulate in a boiler sure to be carried, and entire control of all the adjuncts that secure safety, would rapidly bring on a radical change in the use of steam power, and no one would assume the control of this most destructive explosive who was not qualified; and in the event of an explosion resulting fatally, he would be liable to indictment for murder. Doctors and surgeons can be prosecuted for mai-practice and men who profess to be engineers should be subject to the same penalty, if their lack of skill, care or experience results in the loss of life or the maining of citizens.

"This office of boiler inspector is not or should not in any sense be a political one. It is a measure, if properly devised, that will do much to bring on the reforms so evidently desired. Only licensed engineers should be permitted to operate steam under pressure and some measure should be passed by this legislature pointing in in this direction."

Coffee and Chocolate. The Women's Exchange will hereafte serve coffee and chocolate free of charge to-day, and on every Friday hereafter.

Try our Brisbon lump coal for fire places Gauranteed to hold fire twenty-four hours. GILCHRIST BROS. & EDGAR.

HELENA IN BRIEF.

G. W. Jackson, music dealer. Dinner from 12 to 5 at the Bon Ton. James W. Barker, merchant tailor, No North Main street. Go east via the Montana Central and Manitoba railways, the new sleeping and dining car route to St. Paul and the east. Through trains leave Helena daily at 11:35

It is very important, in this age of vast material progress, that a remedy be pleasing to the taste and to the eye, easily taker acceptable to the stomach and healthy in its nature and effects. Possessing these qualities, Syrup of Figs is the one perfect laxative and the most gentle diuretic

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Witness my hand and official seal the day as year first above written.

[Seal]

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